

Request for City Council Committee Action From the Department of the City Clerk

Date: March 5, 2013

To: Ways & Means/Budget Committee

Subject: Statements of Economic Interest – City Positions Required to File

Recommendation: Approve the attached list of City positions subject to the Statement of Economic

Interest filing requirements. (Section 15.80(a)(3) Minneapolis Code of Ordinances).

Prepared by: Dani Connors-Smith, Elections

Approved by: Casey J Carl, City Clerk

Financial Impact: No Financial Impact

Background/Supporting Information

The Code of Ethics for the City of Minneapolis (Title 2 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances, Chapter 15, Ethics in Government) requires Statements of Economic Interest ("SEI") to be filed by the City's elected officials and by persons who are appointed to or employed in a City position in which the person has authority to make, to recommend, or to vote on major decisions regarding the expenditure or investment of public money.

The City Council has the discretion and responsibility for determining which appointed and civil service employee positions in the City of Minneapolis have such authority. Each year the Elections Department presents the list to the City Council for approval before submitting to the MN Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board.

The list of positions subject to filing requirements were reviewed by department heads, City Clerk and Ethics Officer in February, 2013 and the following changes to the list have been made this year.

- Assessor added one position
- Civil Rights added one position
- Clerk removed four positions
- Finance removed four positions
- Health added one position
- Human Resources added three positions
- MECC-911 added one position

Following Council approval the list will be submitted to the MN Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board.